



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

**Younan Xia**

**Yugang Sun**

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For: **METHODS OF NANOSTRUCTURE  
FORMATION AND SHAPE SELECTION**

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Date: June 17, 2004

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant's attorney hereby petitions that the time for response to the March 18, 2004 Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, having a May 18, 2004 expiration date, be extended for a period of one month to June 18, 2004.

The enclosed check for \$954.00 includes the one-month extension fee.

Respectfully submitted,

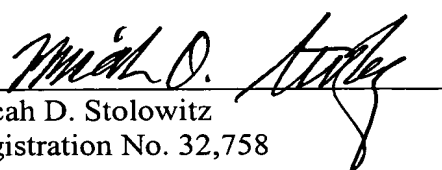
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